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On 1 August 3,000 Chinese Communist amphibious troops were concentrated in the Luhsia (approximately N 26-39, E 120-06) area. The troops were practicing swimming while floating their clothes and ammunition. There were also about 120 motor junks, capable of doing 12 knots, and armed with recoilless rifles and machine guns, in the Luhsia area.

Comment. The concentration of Chinese Communist troops and junks in this area may indicate Chinese Communist plans for assault against Nationalist-held Yinshan (N 26-22, E 120-09) and Kaoteng (N 26-16, E 119-59) islands. 25X1

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